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(Legislative day of Tuesday, January 3, 2023)

The Senate met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Honorable BEN-JAMIN L. CARDIN, a Senator from the State of Maryland.

APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Parliamentarian will please read a communication to the Senate from the President pro tempore (Mrs. MURRAY).

The Parliamentarian read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE,
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE,
Washington, DC, January 10, 2023.
To the Senate:

Under the provisions of rule I, paragraph 3, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby appoint the Honorable Benjamin L. Cardin, a Senator from the State of Maryland, to perform the duties of the Chair.

PATTY MURRAY, President pro tempore.

Mr. CARDIN thereupon assumed the Chair as Acting President pro tempore.

RECESS UNTIL FRIDAY, JANUARY 13, 2023, AT 1:30 P.M.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands in recess until 1:30 p.m. on Friday, January 13, 2023.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 10 and 31 seconds a.m., stands in recess until Friday, January 13, 2023, at 1:30 p.m.

• This "bullet" symbol identifies statements or insertions which are not spoken by a Member of the Senate on the floor.

